SEP 12 2005

NO. 1641 P. 1

PTC/SB/97 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006, OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Palent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

a collection of information unless it contains a wild OMB of the Commence. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Ann F. Griffith Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate (302)992-3249 Telephone Number Registration Number, if applicable Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper. 10/731513 DC7006USNA Response to Restriction Requirement

1__ of_ Page .

This collection of Information is required by 97 CFR 1.8. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 97 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.8 influtions to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burdon, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO Complete laborator for Patents. P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

SEP 12 20%

NO. 1641 P. 2

Rev. 4/96

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

SHAILESH RATILAL DOSHI

CASE NO.: DC7006USNA

APPLICATION NO.: 10/731513

GROUP ART UNIT: 1772

FILED: DECEMBER 09, 2003

EXAMINER: PATRICIA L.

NORDMEYER

FOR: MULTILAYERED COMPOSITE POLYAMIDE ARTICLES AND PROCESSES FOR

THEIR PREPARATION

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

By Office Action dated <u>August 18, 2005</u>, the above-referenced application has been made subject to a requirement to restrict.

Applicant provisionally elects without traverse, claims 1-5 (Invention I) which are drawn to a multilayered article, classified in Class 428, subclass 36.91.

Upon a determination that claims 1-5 are allowable, Applicants request rejoinder of nonelected process claims and examination of such claims on the merits in the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. HAMBY

ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT

Registration No.: 31,521 Telephone: (302) 992-3230 Facsimile: (302) 992-3257

Dated:

T:\Patent Documents\Eng. Polymers\DC\DC7006\DC7006USNA\Elect.doc